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REFERENCES [REDACTED]

PAGES 1 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) [REDACTED]

REMARKS [REDACTED]

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SOURCE [REDACTED] 25X1X

1. Between 21 March and 10 April 1951, small groups of soldiers with red-bordered black epaulets received training in the Busche Kaserne, Leisnig (T 52/L 69). Radio truck [REDACTED] 25X1C with a van-like body, mounting a rod antenna 3 meters high, was observed at the installation on 29 March. T-34 tank no 101 or 107, T-3 tanks no 035 and 048, tank no 086 of an undetermined type and 3F gun no 061 were seen at the installation on 30 March. Motor vehicles seen in the barracks traffic included [REDACTED] all driven by soldiers with red-bordered black epaulets; and [REDACTED] occupied by three officers who wore artillery insignia. 25X1C
 2. On 10 April 1951, the Busche Kaserne quartered either a tank and an artillery unit or a unit equipped with both tanks and [REDACTED]. The officers and some of the [REDACTED] wore tank insignia.
 3. Motor vehicles seen in the Friedrich August Kaserne between 24 March and 2 April included truck [REDACTED] occupied by a 25X1C lieutenant and 11 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets; vehicles [REDACTED] and truck [REDACTED] occupied by a major and an undetermined number of soldiers with red-bordered black epaulets. According to its driver, the latter truck belonged to a unit in Leipzig. 25X1C
 4. On 10 April, the Friedrich August Kaserne was occupied by an artillery unit, a rocket launcher unit, and a headquarters. The officers and some of the men wore artillery insignia. *
- 25X1A [REDACTED] Comment. According to the present and previous reports by the same and other sources, the collective billeting area of the Busche Kaserne and the Friedrich August Kaserne is believed to quarter the 64th Gds Lv Tank BR Regt, the 358th Gds AAA Regt, and the unidentified Gds rocket launcher battalion, all of the 8th Gds Lecz Div. [REDACTED] 25X1A

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